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Dear Mr & Mrs. Helali,

Hello. We haven't met before,
but my name is Zipporah and
I'm a friend of your son,
Christopher.

I've been told by Chris
y'all are very lovely people,
so that made it a lot easier
to write this letter. I wanted
to reach out because Chris
and I are expecting a baby
in February.

Chris really wanted to wait
and surprise y'all when he
returned in December, but
as his activism there might

delay his return, it seemed
best to tell you now.

I imagine y'all would like
to know a little about me.

I'm a black woman from
New Orleans, Louisiana, and
I moved to Boston last year.

I studied English Literature in
college, and want to start a
graduate program at Wesley
University in art Therapy.

I'm a spoken word artist, a
writer, and, of course, an activist,
which is how Chris and I
met. ☺

I hope we can meet really
soon and get a chance to
commune with each other.

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Sincerely,
Zipporah Legarde